

POLICE ITEMS—The following cases have been tried by the Mayor since yesterday:

Wm. B. Brown, for using vulgar and abusive language, was sent to the work house for thirty days.

Louis Green, colored, for being drunk and disorderly on the street, was fined and discharged.

David Limes, colored, for the same offense, was fined, and in default of payment, sent to the chain gang for ten days.

Bessie Hickins, a cyprian, for failing to leave the city when ordered to do, on the 8th inst., was arrested and sent to the Work House for thirty days.

HYMNICAL—Mr. F. A. Berry Howell, the well-known bather and popular O. G. R. of the City of the Alexandria Light Infantry, was married at St. Mary's church this morning to Miss Maggie Kingston, a beautiful and accomplished lady of the northwestern section of the city. The ceremony was performed by Rev. L. P. Keating, and, at its conclusion, the happy pair left for the North on a bridal tour. They are accompanied by the congratulations and best wishes of their many friends here, who invoke for them a long and happy married life.

EPISCOPAL COUNCIL—As heretofore announced the Council of the Episcopal Church in the Diocese of Virginia, will meet in Frederickburg on the 21st inst. The delegates from the churches in this city, are as follows:

Christ Church—L. M. Blackford, delegate; E. Lee, jr., alternate.

St. Paul's Church—Anthony McLean, delegate; M. D. Corse, alternate.

Grace Church—W. A. Sanoct, delegate; J. Muir, alternate.

PRESIDENT OF THE COMMERCIAL EXCHANGE, at the annual meeting of the Commercial Exchange to-day, the President, Mr. Thomas Perry, having retired, the honor of presiding for the ensuing year was conferred upon Mr. Allen C. Harmon, an old and tried merchant, and an upright and esteemed citizen, fully entitled with all the interests of the city. The location is an excellent one, and Mr. H. will in time, as in all other trusts bestowed upon him, fulfill with fidelity and ability the duties of his new position.

REGISTRATION—The registration in this city closed last night. Although there were not any names added yesterday, several have been placed on the lists since last November's election. The additions are as follows:

	White	Colored.
Ward,	38	4
" "	20	0
" "	52	2
h "	28	3

BASE BALL—On the third of May a match was played between the Washington and the Old Dominion Club, of Alexandria, which resulted in favor of the former by a score of 25 to 21, and on May 10, a match between the 4th nine of the Howards and the John's Academy was resulted in favor of the 4th nine by a score of 27 to 5.

FISH REPORT—The fishing vessels were up early this morning, and by 10 o'clock the fleet looked bare and deserted. The receipts promptly fell off, and the season is evidently rapidly drawing to a close. Since yesterday's report there have been received about 2,000 ad, which sold at \$6-\$8 per hundred, and 4,000 herrings, which brought \$1 per thousand.

PERSONAL—The Winchester Times says: "Rev. W. S. Penick, of Alexandria, commenced a series of sermons Sunday morning, which will be continued each morning and night during the present week. These sermons are attended by the Baptists of our community as well as members of other denominations. Mr. Penick is an able preacher."

RECOVERING—The many friends of Mr. J. Pierpont, now confined in the Western Marine Asylum at Annapolis, will be pleased to learn that a letter has been received in this city from the physician in charge stating that he is doing well, and that there is a good prospect for his restoration to health.

LARGE PASSENGER LIST—The steamer George Henry on her trip up from Norfolk this morning brought the large number of two hundred and fifty passengers, among them many scholars on their way to attend the High school at their order now in session in Washington.

VIRGINIA BONDS—The Citizens' National Bank is prepared to furnish facilities for the purchase of Virginia Bonds as agents for the Funding Association of the United States, on notice.

LOCAL BRIEFINGS.

The postmaster at Falls Church has been appointed to sell the new U. S. \$10 certificates, and has executed a bond in penalty of \$1,000.

Charles P. Henry, the president of the Fourth Ward Republican Club has invited the republicans to meet to meet at the colored Old Fellows' Hall, to nominate officers, &c.

Official.

The following is an abstract of the at the conservative primary election of 12, 1879:

Offices and candidates.	1st ward.	2d ward.	3d ward.
Mayor.			
Courtland H. Smith.....	154	116	2
K. Kemper.....	117	142	2
Auditor.			
F. L. Brockett.....	238	290	4
City Treasurer.			
M. S. Harlow.....	292	219	4
Corp'n. Attorney.			
C. E. Stuart.....	272	250	4
Supt. of Gas.			
Jacob Roxbury.....	214	206	2
A. Glackler.....	26	19	
Clerk of Gas.			
W. W. Harper.....	268	247	4
Collector North. Dis.			
J. T. Hill.....	159	161	2
George H. Markell.....	97	60	1
Wesley Avery.....	13	15	
Collector South. Dis.			
S. K. Field.....	245	210	4
Supt. of Police.			
G. W. Clifford.....	116	116	2
James P. Coleman.....	144	131	1
Clerk of Market.			
C. L. Nesler.....	147	116	1
James W. Simpson.....	49	61	2
W. W. Rock.....	71	61	2
Mess. Wood & Bark.			
G. W. Dearborn.....	275	240	4
Mess'n of Lumber.			
J. L. Adams.....	265	237	4
T. E. Kemp.....	261	235	4
Gauger.			
I. B. Lovejoy.....	285	219	4

The following named persons have a majority of the votes cast in the primary, held May 12, 1879, are hereby nominated for the conservative primary election to be held on Thursday, May 22, 1879, viz:

Mayor—C. H. Smith.
Auditor—F. L. Brockett.
City Treasurer—M. S. Harlow.
Corporation Attorney—Charles E. Sup.intendent of Gas—Jacob R. Clerk of Gas—W. W. Harper.
Collector of Texas, Northern District—F. Hill.
Collector of Texas, Southern District—S. K. Field.
Superintendent of Police—Geo. W. Clerk of Ward—O. L. Neale.
Measurer of Wood and Bark—C. Dearborn.
Measurers of Lumber—James L. T. E. Kemp.
Gauger of L. Quares—Lease B. Livingston.
R. H. Ridd,
C. F. Lavin,
JAMES R. CATON.
Members of Executive Com.

OFFICIAL.

BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

At a regular meeting of the Board of Aldermen, held May 13th 1879 there were present, E. D. Dewham, esp. President and Burroughs Strauss, Risshell, Smith.

The Committee on Public Property in favor of having the bill of Thos. H. H. jail, \$1008, and the bill was ordered paid.

Mr. C. H. Smith, member of the Board, 4th ward, presented his resignation as member of the Board, to take effect which was accepted.

On motion it was resolved that an order be held on Thursday, May for a member of the Board of Aldermen 4th ward to fill the vacancy caused by resignation of Courtland H. Smith, and

[All advertisements must invariably be paid for in advance. No notice will be taken of orders unless they are accompanied with the cash.]

WE ARE authorized to announce **B. B. SEINER** as an independent candidate for the office of Commissioner of the Revenue Southern District of Fairfax County, who is opposed to convention, sugar, &c., &c., who will be thankful for the support of his friends. my 14

TO THE VOTERS OF ALEXANDRIA CITY.

In announcing myself as a candidate at the general election for Superintendent of Police before the people, it is proper that I should state the reasons for my action. It is apparent that three candidates contend for the nomination, the successful one will not obtain a majority of all the votes, and thereby a fair choice even of the conservative voters will be defeated. There is also a large number of voters who will be excluded from participation in the primary, and if there be no opposition to the nominee they will have no voice whatever in the election, which actually will be in the hands of a small minority. I have, therefore, determined to be a candidate at the general election, and invoke the favorable consideration of my fellow citizens. my 14

WESLEY MAKELEY.

AMUSEMENTS.

SKATING RINK
AT
SARAFIA HALL.

Having every afternoon from 4 to 6 o'clock, and every night from 8 to 10 o'clock, commencing Monday night, May 12. Every morning from 10 to 12 o'clock, the hall will be open for ladies only to learn and practice. The afternoon assemblies are designed for ladies and children. There will be no charge made except for use of skates in the mornings and afternoons. At night, from 8 to 10 o'clock, will be regular skating assemblies. my 12

FINANCIAL.

BURKE & HERBERT,
Dealers in
GOVERNMENT BONDS
LOCAL STOCKS AND ALL FIRST CLASS RAILROAD BONDS,
and other good investment securities, have for sale the new
\$10 U. S. 4 per cent Bonds,
Also COUPONS, (Alexandria city and Virginia) receivable for taxes.
As agents for the Funding Association of the United States of America, we are now ready to receive for funding all classes of VIRGINIA SECURITIES on precisely the same terms as the association itself, and we ask our friends and the public generally to use us as the medium for funding their bonds, other consols, preferreds, coupons or interest certificates. my 9

BURKE & HERBERT.

WANTED.

WANTED—I desire to borrow for about two weeks at a liberal rate of interest **\$1500**, to be secured by deed of trust, or otherwise, on valuable city property; interest to be paid as desired. Address J. B. GORDON, office, ap 14-15

WANTED.
700 WHITE OAK CROSS TIE, 8 1/2 feet long, 7 in. chest thick, 7 inches and upward face, bark off and good. and ap 14-15

A. S. SMITH, Smith's Wharf,
Alexandria Virginia.

DURKIN & CO'S,

Salad Dressing.

A ready made, rich and delicious

DRESSING FOR LOBSTER, CHICKEN AND ALL OTHER SALADS, GOLD MEATS, VEGETABLES, &c., &c.

BEST RECOMMENDATIONS BOTH AT HOME AND ABROAD.

For sale only by

GEO. McBURNEY & SON,
(Staple and Fancy Family Grocers.)
166 & 170 KING STREET.

Final Notice to the Holders of Bonds of the Northern Pacific Railroad Company.

UNDER the Plan of Reorganization, ratified by the decree of the Court, the time in which Bondholders should be allowed to participate in the benefits of the Plan, by the conversion of Bonds into Preferred Stock, was left to the discretion of the Purchasing Committee. More than three years having passed since this right was given, and more than nine-tenths of the Bondholders having converted their Bonds, the Committee, desirous of closing their labors, hereby give notice that the right of converting Bonds and receiving Preferred Stock will terminate on the 30th day of June, 1879.

Circulars giving information how the conversion is made can be had at the offices of the Northern P. R. Co., No. 33 Fifth Avenue, New York.

The original stock will be exchanged for stock under the plan up to the same time.

FREDERICK BILLINGS,
Jan 1-16 6m German Purchasing Com.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

Having just got hold of an extraordinary cheap lot of **SEASONABLE DRY GOODS**, I beg leave to announce that I intend to let my customers have the full benefit of these bargains by selling them very near cost for cash.

my 12 **WM. M. BERRICKLY.**

TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN.

This is to give notice that, as owner of the following boats, I will not be responsible for any supplies or bills that may be contracted by captains or crews.

F. MERTENS, Cumberland, Md.

Names of Boats:

J. H. Houch,	Little Addie,
Lizzie K.	W. P. Wool,
M. A. West,	M. C. Cay,
Dr. C. F. Russell,	Capt. Jas. Marmaduke,
Albert Zugler.	(my 7-10)

NOTICE—On and after May 15th, 1879, a **DIVIDEND OF THREE PER CENT** will be paid on stock of the Alexandria Marine Railway and Ship-building Company, at the bank of the Germania Banking Company of this City. By order of the Board.

my 9 **J. SCHNEIDER, Manager.**

CALUMACE, or compressed Calcimine, a beautiful and durable article for calcimining walls, ceilings, &c., ready for use by the addition of boiling water. Sample cards of all shades furnished upon application.

my 10 **F. S. LEAUBRATER & BRO.**

INSECT POWDER, of best quality, and **POWDER GUNS** for applying the Powder to bedbugs, fleas, &c.; also Liquid Bed Bug Powder, Rat and Roach Exterminator, &c., for sale by

my 12 **E. S. LEAUBRATER & BRO.**

ALEXANDRIA WATER COMPANY.

A dividend of **TWO DOLLARS** per share will be paid to the stockholders at the office of the company, No. 75 Prince Street, on and after Thursday, the 13th inst.

my 12-3 **A. D. FINE, Treasurer.**

PRIME CHEESE received to-day by

my 12 **J. C. MILBURN.**